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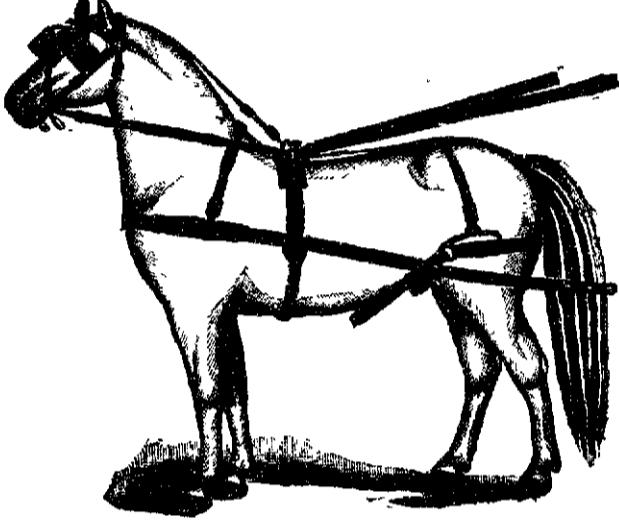
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Well, the prediction of the Review has
not proved a roaring reality as yet. The
south will never prosper until it throws
off its Democratic dogmas, and neither
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PART 3, FEB. 27.

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(For back numbers.)

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February 27. No. 8.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Wayne Wilson left to-day for Chicago. Mrs. Carson and son, James, are on the sick list.

J. S. Cox, of Lovington, is in the city visiting C. T. Terrell.

Miss Anna Chamberlain left to-day for Macos to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Remley, of Montello, are in the city to-day.

Mrs. A. J. Thompson and daughter, Anna, will leave to-night for Beloit, Wis.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Glass, of 1620 East Eldorado street, on Feb. 25 — a son.

Mrs. J. A. Reeve will soon leave for Hot Springs, Ark., for the benefit of her health.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus W. Wilmett left to-day for a visit with relatives in Bloomington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Bullard entertained the Riverside White club last evening.

Mrs. M. A. Marsh, of Springfield, is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. M. A. Comett.

Rev. Howe left to-day for Casey, Ill., on urgent business. He will return Tuesday.

Mrs. J. B. Race, Mrs. J. W. Race and Miss Ella Race departed yesterday for Hot Springs.

Geo. Badenhausen accidentally mashed two fingers yesterday while at work on the Wabash.

Nay Bogress left to-day for Mt. Vernon, Ill., to take an examination for admittance to the bar.

Amos Howenstein, who has been confined to his home for over five weeks with the grip, was able to be up town to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Griffith, Mrs. J. G. Griffith and Arthur Griffith, of Macos, are in the city visiting C. L. Colby and family.

Mrs. E. B. Hillman and daughter arrived to-day from Peoria to visit Mrs. H. E.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Shellaberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shlaenderman will leave to-night for Louisville, Ky., in answer to a message announcing the illness of Mrs. S. mother. From there they will leave on a trip through Mexico and then to the Pacific coast.

ALL OVER EUROPE.

Frax are five per cent. more numerous in London on Saturday than on any other day in the week.

Since the reduction of cab fares in London the ratio of patronage to population has risen from 14.6 to 77.

Grazers, on the loss of a relative, abstained from wine and agreeable food, took off all ornaments, dressed in coarse black stuff, shaved the head and rolled in mire or ashes.

MUNICIPAL restaurants have been established in many German cities as means for minimizing begging and to relieve the worthy poor of the necessity of accepting food given in charity.

Members of the royal Irish constabulary, when appointed must be between nineteen and twenty-five years of age, unmarried, and are not allowed to serve in county where they have relatives.

FIFTY-THREE per cent. of the lunatics in the asylums of Bengal are there entirely as the result of using "haaseeh," a poisonous drug. In Egypt, Greece and Turkey the use of the drug is forbidden by a stringent law.

ONLY women of extraordinary merit are permitted to wear trousers in France, and for this privilege they are each taxed from ten to twelve dollars a year. So far the privilege has only been granted to George Sand, Rose Beaufort, Mme. Diculay, the Persian archaeologist; Mme. Foucault, the bearded woman; and two feminine stonemasons, Madames Fourreau and Je. Jeannette.

20 Cents.

You can buy for this price a beautifull watch made, delicate in design and in great condition.

WHITE PAPER

MET THEIR MATCH.

An Attempted Assault Upon a Couple of Texas Ladies.

BY TWO BLACK WOULD-BE RAVISHERS.

Met and Repelled in Vigorous Style. Both Assassins Too Badly Beaten to Recover, but Nevertheless Threatened With Lynching.

How a Plucky Woman Defended Her Honor.

BRENTON, Tex., Feb. 27.—Madames Lehna Behrens and Artelia Mohr were returning from Berlin this afternoon, they having gone to clean up the family burying ground about two miles from town two negroes sprang out of the woods. One seized and held their horse while the other attempted to get into the buggy. Seizing a shovel, Mrs. Behrens felled the brute to the ground. Getting out of the buggy, the plucky woman continued to beat him with the shovel until he was unconscious.

Meantime a dog they had was engaged in mortal combat with the other negro. The faithful beast was getting the worst of the battle when Mrs. Behrens went to the rescue, and with her trusty shovel felled the negro to the earth. She administered to him also a fearful beating, but not wishing to kill them, drove to town. She says the first negro cannot possibly live. Officers have gone to bring the brute in.

The Would-Be Assassins Threatened with Lynching.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 27.—A dispatch from Brenton, Tex., at midnight, says the town is full of armed men who are determined to lynch the two negroes who attempted to assault Mrs. Lehna Behrens and a companion near Brenton yesterday, and were beaten with an inch of their lives by the plucky Mrs. Behrens. The sheriff has appealed to the crowd to disperse. He believes the negroes will die from their wounds before morning. Mrs. Behrens has been sent for to persuade the mob not to molest the prisoners.

POISONED MEAT.

Eaten at a Public Sale, Spreads Death and Disease Throughout a Township.

SOMERSET, Pa., Feb. 27.—Two farmers are dead, ten or twelve are seriously ill and fifty more are sick from the effect of eating salted meat. Jeremiah Ringler, a prominent citizen of Quemahoning township, died yesterday morning, and Alexander Rhodes, a leading farmer of Jenner township, is reported to have died during the day, both from poisoning. Those suffering from the poison are scattered all over the north of the county.

Looking for an Escaping Couple.

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 27.—A New York detective is here looking for Antonio Barrios, who, it is claimed, eloped with Annie, daughter of Dan on Lopez, a New York cigar manufacturer, a week ago. The detective traced the couple to this city where he learned that Barrios had applied at several cigar factories for employment.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC.—Emergent communication of Lodge No. 312, A. F. & A. M., at one o'clock sharp, Wednesday afternoon, to attend the funeral of Brother Charles C. Wilson, Member of Masonic Lodge earnestly requested to attend. J. H. GULYER, Esq. W. M. J. S. McQUELLAN, Sec.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.—Regular conven-

tion of Chevalier Knights Lodge No. 1, Caudle Hall, Library Block, Work in rank of Knight. J. E. KING, C. C. W. G. BACHRAN, Jr. of N. B.

I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting of Doctorat Lodge No. 83 (Tuesday evening) at 8:30 o'clock at the Union corner, North Main and William Street, the first degree. Visiting deputies especially invited to attend. Odd Fellows will be welcome and are cordially invited. D. L. MYER, N. G. L. MARTIN, Jr., Secretary.

MASONIC.—Regular assembly of Decatur Council No. 18, R. and S. Masters this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Work in rank of Knight. T. M. DAWSON, T. I. M. N. L. KROHN, Recorder.

Redemption Notice.

To W. H. Davidson and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinbefore described:

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FOR SALE—Fine new cottage, 6 rooms, six bds, etc., in Riverside Place: \$100 cash, cash or easy payments. JOHN A. McLEWIS, over Anstead's dry goods store.

FOR RENT—Nice cottage, 6 rooms, and stable. Riverside: 7-room house, East William street; 3-room house, North Water street. JOHN A. BURWYN, Over Anstead's Store, feb. 27-DSW.

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ANOTHER MYSTERY

In Connection With the Coughlin Murder Trial.

WHY BAILIFF NEWLAND WAS REMOVED

The Relations Between the Official and Mrs. Nettie Blasdell—Money for the Jurors and Who It Came From.

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Bailiff Newland, who has been for the last month in charge of Daniel Coughlin, was yesterday removed from duty on the case by Sheriff Gilbert, and a thorough investigation of all that he had done in connection with the trial will be made; also the mystery which surrounds the relations between Bailiff Newland and Mrs. Nettie Blasdell as to why Juror Wernberger received money from a working married woman of no apparent means, for the support of his own family. When the trial is ended and the verdict rendered, State's Attorney Bottom will declare himself on this new mystery, and not until then. When the time comes he intimates there will be trouble.

Robert Wilson, the employer of Mrs. Blasdell, makes the statement that the money given by Newland to Wernberger came from him and not the woman, and that it was given only to help the juror. It is known that the jurors have received money from their friends through the suspended bailiff. The amount sent to Wernberger was \$50. His friendship for Mrs. Blasdell dates back, it is said, to a cable car accident in the Lasalle-street tunnel several years ago. Wernberger was conductor in a car and Mrs. Blasdell a passenger. He was injured and Mrs. Blasdell pillow'd his head in her lap as well as assisted him home.

C. M. Lindsay, who is charged with an attempt to extort \$25 from Mrs. Blasdell by threatening to expose her in the newspapers in connection with the Coughlin trial, was indicted by the grand jury yesterday.

Judge Wing spoke to the Coughlin jury in a crowded courtroom all day, and will continue to day. He devoted his argument to an attack on the testimony given by Mrs. Andrew Foy as to secret meetings held by the Cronin conspirators at her house, in which she said Coughlin participated.

SEVENTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

(First Session.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The first paper laid before the Senate this morning by the vice-president was the opinion of the attorney general on the subject of the silver certificates issued under the act of Feb. 25, 1878, are lawful money. The opinion is that they are "just what they purport to be—that is to attest that the United States has on deposit so many silver dollars, which will be paid to the holder on presentation and surrender of the notes." If they are to be regarded as money, it is only because the United States agrees to receive them for customs, taxes and other public duties, and that, that extent, in my opinion, they are not lawful money within the meaning of the statute.

The opinion was referred to the finance committee. Mr. Morgan, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, reported in print the opinion of the committee on the subject of Hawaii.

Mr. Cockrell, who gave the opinion should be printed in the Record.

Mr. Morgan said that he was perfectly content with that and it was so ordered.

Senate joint resolution for the appointment of a commission to the Antwerp International exposition was on motion of Mr. Sherman taken from the calendar and passed.

The session at 12:45 p.m. proceeded to legislative business and at 1:20 adjourned until to-morrow, the early adjournment being to enable the democratic senators to resume their caucus meeting.

NOTE

Mr. Bland to day yielded the point for which the opponents of his secession bill have been contending the past ten days and moved to proceed to its consideration without limitation of debate. This was agreed to without objection and the afternoon was spent in debate. Mr. Bland, before conceding the point, short of a quorum, had found himself eleven votes to morrow to close debate and every day until the house had voted upon the bill.

The debate was productive of one of the most sensational scenes of the stormy session. Mr. Pence, the young Colorado popular orator, scolded all the republicans and denounces for their attitude toward the bill, and the republicans who he thought had not voted as they should, chiding it to the influence of Mr. Bland.

Mr. Fithian criticised Mr. Patterson for the inconsistency of his speech on the floor today and the one he made before the New York Democratic club Saturday, and denounced the wing of the democratic party which was opposing the bill for their action.

In the heat of a speech by Mr. Hephburn, who censured the democrats for refusing to count a quorum, Messrs. Phipps and Ellis, who had been singed out by Mr. Pence for not voting their sentiments, stated that Mr. (Pence) had admitted to them that he enjoyed as much as they did the democratic in a hole and Mr. Phipps in addition stated that Mr. Pence stated he hoped the bill would not pass. These remarks were vehemently denied as false by Mr. Pence and after the committee arose, he made a personal appeal to the floor, in the course of which he was twice called to order for statements regarding Nease, Ellis, and H. H. of Nebraska. After the second break of the rules the house voted 6 to 20 that Mr. Pence should not be allowed to proceed, and then at 2:30 p.m. adjourned until to-morrow.

Gone to Stand Trial for Prize Fighting.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Champion James J. Corbett, with his theatrical company, arrived here yesterday afternoon and gave a performance at Metcalf's hall in the presence of an over-flowing house. Mitchell and his manager, "Billy" Thompson, arrived, and at 10:30 both pugilists left on the Richmond & Danville new short line for Jacksonville, where they are to stand trial for prize fighting.

TRY TO ARRANGE THE QUESTION OF RE-DUCTION.

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Want the Silver States to Secede.

GEORGETOWN, Col., Feb. 27.—A petition has appeared in this city, headed by the name of Mayor Henry Parker, urging upon the citizens of the silver camps to take steps to secede from the United States and become annexed to Mexico. The mayors states that similar petitions will be in circulation throughout the silver-bearing states in a short time. Georgetown, he says, has been requested to take the initiative.

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Queen Victoria and Prince Bostwick arrived at Buckingham palace yesterday.

—Princess Colonna passed through Chicago Sunday night en route for San Francisco while skating Sunday night at Dunkirk, N. Y. Miss Mamie Snyder and August Kress were drowned.

—Matthew Johnson was electrocuted at Sing Sing, N. Y., yesterday morning for the murder of Eddie Kuckelhorn.

—Emerson Holland, of Canton, Vt., an assistant judge of the Addison county court, was gored to death Sunday afternoon by a bull.

—Spruille, a prominent citizen of Helena, Mont., died suddenly at the residence of W. F. Clark, of that city, Sunday night.

—A. Elder, a prominent citizen of Toledo, Ill., was waylaid, murdered and robbed Saturday night en route to his home in the south part of town.

—A supposed bomb exploded outside a hotel in the Boulevard St. Denis, Paris, Sunday night, but no one was injured nor was any damage done to property.

—Erastus Wiman, of New York, held for forgery in the second degree on two indictments, pleaded not guilty in the court of general sessions yesterday.

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—Later dispatches from Port Louis show that the effects of the tornado which passed over the island of Mauritius last Thursday were not nearly so disastrous as first reported.

—The secretary of the treasury sent to the house yesterday a communication recommending an appropriation of \$65,337 for lighting and buoying the Lake Michigan, S. Mary's river, Michigan.

—Judge Wing, senior counsel for the defense, resumed his address before the Coughlin jury yesterday morning, severely criticizing the testimony of Mrs. Foy and other witnesses for the prosecution.

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—J. W. McMillin, of Creston, chairman of the interstate commerce commission, has been ill with typhoid fever and material fever for the past two weeks, and owing to his advanced years he probably cannot survive.

—Information comes from Grand Rapids, N. D., that Princess Colonna has engaged a suite of rooms in that city, and will establish a legal residence there by living there ninety days. At the end of that time she can sue for divorce.

—The town of Haskins, B. C., was practically wiped out of existence Sunday night by a fire which consumed every business house in the place except the Leland hotel. Two hundred thousand dollars' worth of property was destroyed in about an hour.

—Two hundred and fifty workmen employed on a stone exchange building now being erected in Chicago struck yesterday morning in sympathy with carpenters who have been on strike on that building for the past ten days against a reduction in wages.

—McLamy & Co.'s granaries on the King and Queen steam shipping wharf, Rothesay, a suburb of London, were destroyed by fire yesterday. The conflagration lasted throughout the day. Five large blocks, chiefly filled with flour, were destroyed. The loss is \$30,000.

—Every moulder in the city of Cleveland, O., is out by the determination of the foundry men to close their shops until the moulder's acceptance of a wage from \$2.25 to the minimum standard of two dollars. There are 300 molders effected and 600 helpers.

—Ex President Harrison and party left Indianapolis, Ind., yesterday for the Pacific coast on a special combination and sleeping car, especially decorated for their accommodation and comfort. The car is named Magazine and was attached to the Panhandle train.

—Mother Mandiebaum, the former noted actress of New York city died in Hamlin, Ont., yesterday morning. She aged 65. She was very wealthy having accumulated a considerable fortune as a go-between for theives and crooks and the receiver of stolen goods. She was buried in a grave in a cemetery in New York.

—Since the closing down of the girls' pot bank operated by the Hartford City, Ind., Glass Co. the force on their thirty six pot banks have been reduced on half. Five hundred men are then out of employment by this shut down. The company will close the entire plant in a few days.

—During a theatrical performance in Pisa, Italy, Sunday night, a window was thrown through one of the windows near the stage. It fell into the pit where it exploded with a report that was heard some distance away. Nobody was hurt, and the orchestra averted a panic by playing the national anthem.

—The majority report of the senate committee on foreign relations (a volume of nearly 500 printed pages exclusive of maps), submitted yesterday, justifies Mr. Stevens' actions except in his capacity as a protectorate, and finds nothing irregular in the appointment of Mr. Blount. It is a rare unanimous concurrence on these "curious" B. M.

MURDERED FOR MONEY.

AN AWFUL CRIME BROUGHT TO LIGHT BY THE CONFESSION OF A WOMAN.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 27.—A special agent of the commercial from West Plains, Mo., says

Word was received from Mountain Home, Ark., last night to the effect that Mrs. Anderson Carter, had confessed that her husband Anderson Carter, with Bart Carter and Jasper Newton, had killed Hunter Wilson and afterwards robbed the house of \$1,900. Her confession was followed by one from Bart Carter, who acknowledged that he, with the other two, committed the crime and told where the money stolen from the house at the time of the killing could be found. Parties have gone in search of the money.

Great excitement prevails in Baxter county. Men were seen going to Mountain Home all day in squads, and it is thought here that the three men will be lynched. Sheriff Eatman will use every effort in defending the lives of his prisoners.

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WRECK OF THE KEARSARGE.

The Inquiry Into the Cause of the Disaster Begun in Brooklyn.

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It was decided to have open sessions.

After the board had been sworn, Lieut.-Com. Lyman, the navigator of the Kearsarge, was called, and brought all the papers that had been in his charge with him.

Commander Heyerman of the Kearsarge was sent for and while a messenger was searching for him Rear-Admiral Stanton entered the room and was greeted with warmth by the other officers. Admiral Stanton, Commander Heyerman and Lieut.-Com. Lyman were asked in turn if they wished to give testimony and also if they wished to be represented by counsel. They replied that they did not wish to be represented by counsel, and wished to appear before the committee.

A short recess was then taken.

Promptly at 3 o'clock the 182 surviving sailors and marines who had been aboard the Kearsarge when she was wrecked, lined up on one side of the upper deck of the Vermont, with all the officers, including Rear-Admiral Stanton and Lieut.-Com. Lyman.

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THE NEWS OF THE DAY

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AN IMPORTANT DEAL CONSUMMATED.

Smallpox in Pittsburgh—Obeyed the Murderous Instructions of His Mother—A Runaway Motor—Resumed Operations, Etc.

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WHEELING, W. Va., Feb. 27.—Miss Margaret L. Havens, of Nicholas county, has been placed under arrest at the instance of the county coroner on suspicion of murdering Miss Harriet Frazer, at the residence of R. A. Thompson. A week ago Miss Frazer and Miss Havens occupied adjoining rooms at Thompson's, where they were guests. During the night the back of Miss Frazer's head was blown off with a charge of shot. A gun was found standing by the bed with one barrel empty. Miss Havens was in bed, and awakened apparently with the others of the household. Two children who occupied the beds with the young ladies saw no one in the rooms, the doors and windows of which were locked. It is reported that Miss Havens was jealous of Miss Frazer, who had received a special compliment from Mr. Thompson.

An Important Deal.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 27.—A railroad deal of vast importance to shipping interests has been consummated. It is the purchase of the Erie and Huron railway by a syndicate of New York and Cleveland capitalists. The railway is in the province of Ontario, Can. It is eighty miles long, and runs from Rondeau harbor, Lake Erie, directly opposite Cleveland, to Sarnia, opposite Port Huron, on the St. Clair river. The road is crossed by all the trunk lines of Canada.

It was reported yesterday that the company had succeeded in floating bonds in the London market, and a revolution may be seen within the next year in the shipments of lumber and coal. The company is figuring with the Cleveland Ship Building Co. for the building of a steel transfer boat capable of carrying twenty-one loaded cars and 600 passengers.

Smallpox in Pittsburgh Hospitals.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 27.—Reports from the quarantined West Pennsylvania hospital yesterday convey no alarming information as to the condition of affairs on the inside. Thus far there are no indications of a spread of smallpox developed in the case of Mrs. Richardson Sunday. Yesterday there was a general vaccination of patients. The ward in which Sunday's case developed has been isolated, thoroughly fumigated and every precaution taken. There are now eight smallpox patients in the Municipal hospital.

Obeyed the Murderous Instructions of His Mother.

SHERMAN, Ala., Feb. 27.—Yesterday morning Deputy Sheriff John Cowlett attempted to levy upon a mortgaged cow held by Melinda Douglass, an old negro. The woman told her 13-year-old son Tom to shoot the officer if he attempted to take the cow. The officer placed a rope on the animal, and the boy shot him dead. A later report says the boy resisted arrest when another officer came for him, attempting to use the gun again, when the second officer shot him, injuring him fatally.

A Runaway Motor.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 27.—While going down the steep grade of Seneca street hill yesterday morning the brake chain on a Scranton-avenue motor broke and the car ran away. It attained a speed of forty miles an hour. At a curve the car left the track and crashed into the side of the bridge over the Cuyahoga river. The front end of the car was badly smashed and the motorman was seriously injured. Two passengers and the conductor escaped with slight bruises.

Resumed Operations.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Feb. 27.—The Brier Hill and Grace furnaces, which had been idle for some time, resumed yesterday morning, giving employment to 150 men. The Youngstown carriage and wagon works is running in all departments, and if orders keep coming in as they have for the last week the works will run steadily.

Arraigned and Gave Bail.

MASON, Mich., Feb. 27.—Secretary of State Jochim, ex-Auditors Clark and Peterson, County Clerk May, and J. G. Clark, of the Detroit canvassing board, were arraigned under the salaries and fraud indictments yesterday and gave bail.

Compromised and Returned to Work.

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 27.—The shoemakers in the employ of J. D. King & Co., who two months ago struck against a 20 per cent cut in wages, have agreed to accept a 10 per cent reduction, and have gone back to work.

Death of a Prominent Irish-Canadian.

QUEBEC, Can., Feb. 27.—Sir William Meredith, ex-chief justice of the superior court of the province of Quebec, died yesterday, aged 88 years. Sir William was born in Dublin, Ireland, and came to Canada in 1854. He was admitted to the bar in 1854. In 1849 he was raised to the superior court bench. Subsequently he was appointed to the queen's bench, and on the death of Chief Justice Bowen, in 1889, the honor of knighthood was conferred upon him by Queen Victoria.

Killed in Prize Fight with a Playmate.

BOULDER, Col., Feb. 26.—Harry Murray, aged 14, was killed on Saturday by Ira Evans, a playmate, by a blow of the fist on the breast. The boys were holding a prize fight, the stakes being a bright red handkerchief.

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In order to reduce our stock before our annual invoice we will make SWEEPING REDUCTIONS on our entire line. MANY GOODS WILL GO AT COST. Should you need anything in the way of Furniture it will pay you to buy it now, you cannot duplicate these prices later. Heating Stoves at Cost.

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We take great pleasure in announcing a stock of Piece Goods, and never have had a dressier, or the qualities excelled. A fine line of Spring and Summer Novelties in stock of Full Dress Fabrics and Staples, which means volumes in a few words, ourselves on carrying the most complete line of Worsted in Central Illinois. We propose, if possible, the high standard of excellence. Tailoring Department and a strict adherence to the standard. Not one garment shall leave our hands, style and workmanship. We are strong and are in a position to offer you the best prices. If you want to be in line, place your orders with us.

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We are Exclusive Agents for STETSON HATS, carrying all the Latest Novelties. Our line of Cheap and Medium Fashions, all styled in style and quality.

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To be handed out to our friends at 8 a. m. on the 1st of March.

One of the new things are the Swivel Silk, 3/4 inches wide, wash like a handkerchief, \$1.00—not 60c or 50c

12 pieces more of those extra fine Hemstitch, 3/4 inches wide, wash like a handkerchief, \$1.00—not 60c or 50c

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Anstead proposes to let this lot of 20 pieces, One-Half the price they are retailed at, \$1.00, suited to the finest trade and should be washed an elegant dress at half price.

ANSTEAD'S HOSIERY DEPARTMENT. Hosiery at 10c is never attempted. 100 doz Ladies Fine Forty Gauge, over, \$1.00; fast black, size 6 to 10. This Hosiery is over at 50c. We will let the lot go at a pair or box this week only.

100 doz Fair Bla. Hose, the regular 25c, 12 1/2c, fall regular made and full fast.

100 doz Fast Black Hose, the 20c kind, \$1.00.

ANSTEAD'S DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT. different brands of Sheetings, bleached, price we advertised last week, the most

100 pieces French of the Loom, 100 pieces Lonsdale, bleached, \$1.00.

100 pieces Lonsdale Cambric, \$1.00.

100 pieces Berkeley Cambric, \$1.00.

100 more Bates Quilts, Green Ticket, \$1.00.

100 pieces Blister Dress Linings, corset linings, \$1.00.

200 doz Clark's and Coats' Spool Cotton, \$1.00.

100 doz Good Pins, full size, 10c per dozen.

100 doz White Tape, all widths, 10c per dozen.

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ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce SAMUEL T. KEELEER as a candidate for the office of Assessor for Decatur township, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. ALLEN as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

TOWN CLERK.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES H. DUNN as a candidate for Town Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce HARDIN C. WALLACE as a candidate for Town Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR.

We are authorized to announce H. G. ALLEN as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce ALBERT S. MORGAN as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES N. TWADDELL as a candidate for Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce JAMES W. REAVIS as a candidate for Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce J. D. W. WILKES as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce JAMES H. MONTGOMERY as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES M. CALDWELL as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce JAMES H. MONTGOMERY as a candidate for Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce THOMAS L. ANTRIM as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

A. J. WILLIAMS is hereby announced as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

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CALL at Dr. Hockin's new dental office in Grand opera house block, ground floor jan 3-6pm

Go to Henry Broe, bakery for all kinds of bread, cakes, pies, etc.

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RECENTLY W. A. Underwood resigned the office of concrete in Long Creek township.

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